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Official meetings

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General Assembly Sixty-seventh session

- 10:00 59th plenary meeting General Assembly Hall
- [webcast]
1. University for Peace: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/67/420) [item 49]
 2. Effects of atomic radiation: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/67/421) [item 50]
 3. International cooperation in the peaceful uses of outer space: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/67/422) [item 51]
 4. United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/67/423) [item 52]

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Security Council

- 10:00 Consultations of the whole (closed) Consultations Room GA-TSC-02
- Sudan/South Sudan
- Iraq/Kuwait (S/2012/931)
- Other matters
- 15:00 6891st meeting Security Council Chamber GA-TSC-01
- [webcast]
1. Adoption of the agenda
 2. Central African region
- Report of the Secretary-General on the activities of the United Nations Regional Office for Central Africa and on the Lord's Resistance Army-affected areas (S/2012/923)

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5. Report of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices Affecting the Human Rights of the Palestinian People and Other Arabs of the Occupied Territories: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/67/424) [item 53]
6. Comprehensive review of the whole question of peacekeeping operations in all their aspects: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/67/425) [item 54]
7. Questions relating to information: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/67/426) [item 55]
8. Information from Non-Self-Governing Territories transmitted under Article 73 *e* of the Charter of the United Nations: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/67/427) [item 56]
9. Economic and other activities which affect the interests of the peoples of the Non-Self-Governing Territories: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/67/428) [item 57]
10. Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples by the specialized agencies and the international institutions associated with the United Nations: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/67/429) [item 58]
11. Offers by Member States of study and training facilities for inhabitants of Non-Self-Governing Territories: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/67/430) [item 59]
12. Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/67/431) [item 60]
13. Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/67/432) [item 116]

Afternoon¹Consultations of
the whole (closed)Consultations
Room GA-
TSC-02

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Other matters

¹To be held following the adjournment of the 6891st meeting of the Security Council.

14. Programme planning: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/67/433) [item 131]
15. The role of diamonds in fuelling conflict [item 32]
 - (a) Letter from the United States transmitting the report of the Kimberley Process to the General Assembly, pursuant to General Assembly resolution 66/252 (A/67/640)
 - (b) Draft resolution (A/67/L.42)
16. Report of the Economic and Social Council: draft resolution (A/67/L.43) [item 9]
17. Cooperation between the United Nations and the International Organization of la Francophonie: draft resolution (A/67/L.30/Rev.2) [item 121 (l)]

Security Council

The Security Council will hold an open debate on Thursday, 20 December 2012, in the Security Council Chamber GA-TSC-01, in connection with the agenda item "Post-conflict peacebuilding".

Member States wishing to inscribe their names on the list of speakers should contact the Secretariat (e-mail dpa-scsb3@un.org; fax 1 (917) 367-0406). Delegations are kindly requested to limit their statements to no more than *four minutes*. Delegations are reminded that the list of speakers will not be available by telephone, but only in hard copy in the Chamber, shortly before the beginning of the meeting.

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General Assembly

Sixty-seventh session

Main Committees**Fifth Committee**

10:00 to 11:30

Informal consultations (closed)

Conference Room 5 (NLB)

Informal consultations on:

Agenda item 142 (Financing of the International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 January and 31 December 1994);

Agenda item 143 (Financing of the International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991); and

Agenda item 144 (Financing of the International Residual Mechanism for Criminal Tribunals)

(A/67/594, A/67/595, A/67/596, A/67/5/Add.11, A/67/5/Add.12 and A/67/646)

11:30 to 13:00

Informal consultations (closed)

Conference Room 5 (NLB)

Informal consultations on agenda item 130 (Programme budget for the biennium 2012-2013: First performance report (A/67/592 and A/67/639))

15:00

21st meeting  [webcast]

Conference Room 3 (NLB)

1. Programme budget for the biennium 2012-2013 [item 130]

Revised estimates resulting from the decisions contained in the outcome document of the United Nations Conference on Sustainable Development (A/67/591 and A/67/641)

Revised estimates resulting from resolutions and decisions adopted by the Human Rights Council at its nineteenth, twentieth and twenty-first sessions (A/67/607 and A/67/647)

Request for a subvention to the Special Court for Sierra Leone (A/67/606 and A/67/648)

The arms trade treaty: Programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.1/67/L.11 (A/C.5/67/13 and A/67/649)

Contingency fund: Consolidated statement of programme budget implications and revised estimates (A/C.5/67/15 and A/67/650)

Introduction and general discussion

2. Financing of the United Nations Integrated Mission in Timor-Leste (A/67/618 and A/67/638) [item 153]

Introduction and general discussion

Afternoon¹ to 18:00 Informal consultations (closed) Conference Room 5 (NLL)
 Informal consultations on:

Agenda item 130 (Programme budget for the biennium 2012-2013: Request for a subvention to the Special Court for Sierra Leone (A/67/606 and A/67/648)); and

Agenda item 153 (Financing of the United Nations Integrated Mission in Timor-Leste (A/67/618 and A/67/638))

¹ To be held following the adjournment of the 21st meeting of the Fifth Committee.

Security Council

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1988 (2011)

15:00 to 18:00 Informal consultations (closed) Conference Room 7 (NLB)

General Assembly

Convention on the Rights of the Child

Meeting of States Parties

Fourteenth meeting

10:00 to 13:00 1st meeting Conference Room 4 (NLB)
 15:00 to 18:00 2nd meeting¹ Conference Room 4 (NLB)

Provisional agenda

1. Opening of the Meeting by the Assistant Secretary-General for Human Rights
2. Election of the Chair
3. Adoption of the agenda (CRC/SP/43)
4. Election of other officers of the Meeting
5. Election of nine members of the Committee on the Rights of the Child in accordance with article 43 on the Convention of the Rights of the Child as amended (see General Assembly resolution 50/155) (CRC/SP/44 and CRC/SP/44/Add.1) (to be issued)
6. Other matters

[Credentials]

Original copies of credentials and names of delegates, duly signed by the head of state or government or foreign minister of the State Party, should be submitted to the Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights in New York (Attention: Ms. Sheila Trotta (room S-1308)), prior to today, 18 December.

Quorum

Pursuant to article 43, paragraph 5, of the Convention, the necessary quorum for the meeting is two-thirds of the States Parties. In order to avoid delay or postponement of the meeting, it is imperative for States Parties to be present at the appointed time for the meeting.

¹ If required.

Tellers

Four tellers are required before the election can proceed. So far only one regional group has responded to the call for volunteers. The secretariat would be grateful if delegations in the African Group, the Eastern European Group and the Latin American and Caribbean Group would kindly volunteer a member of their staff to act as a teller during the meeting. Please contact the Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights in New York.

Information

For more information and to download related documents, please *click here*.]

Economic and Social Council

Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations

Informal consultations

The Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations will hold informal consultations, in preparation for its 2013 regular session (21–30 January 2013), for Committee members only, *today*, 18 December 2012, from 10:00 to 13:00 and from 15:00 to 18:00, in Conference Room C (NLB). For further information, please contact Mr. Joop Theunissen, Deputy Chief, NGO Branch, Office for Economic and Social Council Support and Coordination, Department of Economic and Social Affairs (e-mail theunissen@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-7763).

Informal meetings on draft proposals convened by delegations

The agenda of the sixty-seventh session of the General Assembly is contained in documents A/67/251 and A/67/252. The meetings under this header are closed.

Tuesday, 18 December 2012

General Assembly

Informal consultations on draft resolution entitled “International cooperation on humanitarian assistance in the field of natural disasters, from relief to development” (under agenda item 70 (a)) (convened by the delegation of Algeria, on behalf of the Group of 77 and China)

From 10:00 to 13:00, in Conference Room A (NLB).

Informal consultations entitled “Cooperation between the United Nations and the Caribbean Community” (under agenda item 121 (e)) (convened by the delegation of Belize, on behalf of the Caribbean Community (CARICOM))

From 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room A (NLB).

Informal consultations on the draft resolution on the organization of the special session on the follow-up to the Programme of Action of the International Conference on Population and Development beyond 2014 to be held during the sixty-ninth session of the General Assembly (under agenda item 14) (convened by the delegation of Kenya)

From 15:00 to 18:00, in Conference Room E (NLB).

Other meetings

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Tuesday, 18 December 2012

Asia-Pacific Group (monthly meeting)

15:00 to 18:00

Closed meeting

Conference Room 1 (NLB)

Other activities

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Tuesday, 18 December 2012

Special events on the occasion of the International Migrants Day

Briefing on "Migration and sustainable development — Youth and adolescents on the move" (co-organized by UNITAR New York Office, the International Organization for Migration (IOM), the United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA) and the MacArthur Foundation, in collaboration with the NGO Committee on Migration)

From 10:00 to 12:30, Conference Room E (NLB).

[All permanent missions and permanent observer missions are invited to attend. For registration, please [click here](#). For further information, please contact the UNITAR New York Office (e-mail nyo@unitar.org).]

Briefing on "Towards the 2013 High-level Dialogue on International Migration and Development: Joint activities at the United Nations" (organized by the Population Division, Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA))

From 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room 6 (NLB).  [webcast]

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Ms. Sabine Henning, DESA (e-mail hennings@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-3781).]

Briefing on “Effect of migration on the education and empowerment of women” (co-organized by UNITAR New York Office, the International Organization for Migration (IOM), the United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA) and the MacArthur Foundation, in collaboration with the NGO Committee on Migration)

From 15:00 to 17:30, in *Conference Room 2 (NLB)*.

[All permanent missions and permanent observer missions are invited to attend. For registration, please [click here](#). For further information, please contact the UNITAR New York Office (e-mail nyo@unitar.org).]

Briefing by the Counter-Terrorism Implementation Task Force (CTITF) (at the expert level) (organized by CTITF, Department of Political Affairs)

From 11:00 to 13:00, in *Conference Room 1 (NLB)*.

[The briefing is open to all permanent missions and permanent observer missions. For further information, please contact Mr. Fabrizio Trezza, CTITF (e-mail trezza@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-4134.)]

Inauguration of a display entitled “The United Nations and the Olympics” (related to the Secretary-General’s participation in the 2012 London Summer Olympic Games) (co-organized by the Executive Office of the Secretary-General, the United Nations Office of Sport for Development and Peace and the Department of Public Information (DPI))

From 12:40 to 13:00, in the *Visitors’ Lobby of the General Assembly Building*.

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Ms. Martina Donlon, DPI (e-mail donlon@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-6816).]

Briefing on “The humanitarian situation in Myanmar and Bangladesh” (by the Under Secretary-General for Humanitarian Affairs and Emergency Relief Coordinator, following her recent visit to both countries) (organized by the Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs (OCHA))

At 16:30, in *Conference Room 6 (NLB)*.

[The briefing is open to all permanent missions and permanent observer missions. For further information, please contact Ms. Laura Rodríguez, OCHA (e-mail rodriguez14@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-2770).]

Press conferences

The schedule is tentative; up-to-date information can be obtained at www.un.org/sg/spokesperson/confschedule.asp.

Tuesday, 18 December 2012

Dag Hammarskjöld Library Auditorium  [webcast]

- 11:00 Ms. Shamshad Akhtar, Assistant Secretary-General for Economic Development, Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA); and Mr. Robert Vos, Director of the Development Policy and Analysis Division, DESA (on the launch of the *Global Economic Outlook*, Chapter 1 of the *World Economic Situation and Prospects 2013*)
- 12:00 Press briefing by the Spokesperson

Forthcoming official meetings

General Assembly

Sixty-seventh session

Announcements

The agenda of the sixty-seventh regular session of the General Assembly is contained in document A/67/251 (see document A/67/252 for the allocation of items). Annotations can be found in document A/67/100 and A/67/100/Add.1. The programme of work and schedule of plenary meetings of the General Assembly during the main part of its sixty-seventh session are contained in document A/INF/67/4/Rev.1. Inscription on the list of speakers, on a first-come, first-served basis, for the items listed in this document is now open. For inscription, please call 1 (212) 963-5063 (rooms S-3055 and S-3082). For the submission of a draft resolution for the plenary, please call 1 (212) 963-3818 (room S-3053). Please *click here* for the guidelines for submission of draft resolutions in the General Assembly.

Since the issuance of the programme of work and schedule of plenary meetings of the General Assembly (A/INF/67/4/Rev.1), the following changes have been made:

- (a) The date of recess of the main part of the session, originally scheduled for Monday, 17 December, *has been postponed* to Friday, 21 December;
- (b) The reports of the Third Committee will be considered on Thursday, 20 December, at 10:00;
- (c) Consideration of agenda item 16 (The role of the United Nations in promoting a new global human order), originally scheduled for Tuesday, 11 December, *has been postponed* to a later date to be announced;

- (d) Consideration of agenda item 111 (f) (Appointment of members of the Committee on Conferences), originally scheduled for Monday, 12 November, *has been postponed* to a later date to be announced; and
- (e) Consideration of agenda item 33 (Prevention of armed conflict), item 34 (Protracted conflicts in the GUAM area and their implications for international peace, security and development), item 35 (Zone of peace and cooperation of the South Atlantic), item 39 (The situation in the occupied territories of Azerbaijan), sub-item (c) of item 110 (Election of five members of the Organizational Committee of the Peacebuilding Commission) and item 120 (Multilingualism), originally scheduled for Monday, 17 December, *have been postponed* to a later date to be announced.

The dates for the consideration of reports of the other Main Committees will be announced in the *Journal*, as soon as they are decided.

Main Committees

Fifth Committee

The Fifth Committee will hold informal consultations (closed) on Wednesday, 19 December 2012, at 10:00 and 15:00, in Conference Room 5 (NLB).

General Assembly

United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea

Meeting of States Parties

Special Meeting

The Meeting of States Parties to the 1982 United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea will be held on Wednesday, 19 December 2012, at 10:00, in Conference Room 2 (NLB), to elect one member of the Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf (in accordance with article 2, paragraph 3, of Annex II of the Convention). The provisional agenda of the Meeting is contained in document SPLOS/L.71.

In accordance with Rule 13, paragraph 2, of the Rules of Procedure for the Meeting of States Parties (SPLOS/2/Rev.4), original credentials of representatives should be transmitted to the Secretariat (Division for Ocean Affairs and the Law of the Sea, Office of Legal Affairs, Room DC2-0450), no later than *today*, 18 December 2012. Original credentials should be duly signed by the Head of State or Government or the Minister for Foreign Affairs or any person authorized by either of them.

General Assembly Security Council

Peacebuilding Commission

Sixth session

Organizational Committee

An informal meeting (closed) of the Organizational Committee of the Peacebuilding Commission will be held on Wednesday, 19 December 2012, from 10:00 to 13:00, in Conference Room 4 (NLB).

Economic and Social Council

Resumed substantive session for 2012

The Economic and Social Council will hold a meeting of its resumed substantive session on Thursday, 20 December 2012, at 15:00, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB), to take action on a draft resolution on the membership of the Council to the Organizational Committee of the Peacebuilding Commission (E/2012/L.39)¹, as well as to elect the seven members of the Council to the Organizational Committee of the Peacebuilding Commission. The Council will also hold elections to fill outstanding vacancies in the following subsidiary bodies: Commission for Social Development; Commission on Science and Technology for Development; the Executive board of the World Food Programme; Committee for the United Nations Population Award; and Governing Council of the United Nations Human Settlements Programme. The list of candidates for the elections is available on Candiweb, at the following address: www.un.int/wcm/content/site/portal/home/pid/11312. The Council will also consider the report of the Tenth United Nations Conference on the Standardization of Geographical Names (E/CONF.101/144).

¹To be issued.

Executive Board of the United Nations Development Programme, of the United Nations Population Fund and of the United Nations Office for Project Services

Executive Board of the United Nations Children's Fund

Executive Board of the United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women

There will be a joint informal consultation of the Executive Boards of UNDP/UNFPA/UNOPS, UNICEF and UN-Women on the integrated budget and cost-recovery road map on Thursday, 20 December 2012, from 15:30 to 17:00, in Conference Room 1 (NLB). Interested delegations are invited to attend.

Executive Board of the United Nations Development Programme, of the United Nations Population Fund and of the United Nations Office for Project Services

In accordance with Executive Board decision 2006/14 and rule 7 of the rules of procedure, the Executive Board will hold a formal meeting for the purpose of electing a new President and other members of the Bureau, on Monday, 7 January 2013, from 11:30 to 12:30, in Conference Room 5 (NLB).

Pre-session informal consultation

A pre-session informal consultation of the Executive Board will take place on Monday, 14 January 2013, from 10:30 to 11:30, followed by an informal consultation on draft decisions, from 11:30 to 13:00, in Conference Room 5 (NLB).

First regular session 2013

The first regular session 2013 of the Executive Board of UNDP, UNFPA and UNOPS will be held from Monday, 28 January, to Friday, 1 February 2013, in Conference Room 2 (NLB). The provisional agenda, list of documents and workplan for the session are contained in document DP/2013/L.1.

Member States, as well as observers and other organizations attending the session, are requested to e-mail their credentials to the secretariat of the Executive Board (e-mail marcela.romero@undp.org; fax 1 (212) 906-5634), as early as possible, *but no later than Monday, 21 January 2013*.

The upcoming first regular session 2013 will be the first PaperSmart session of the Executive Board. Instead of distributing hard copies, all official documentation will be available on the Executive Board PaperSmart Portal. Delegations are invited to send electronic copies of their statements by e-mail to the PaperSmart Secretariat (e-mail papersmart@un.org), at least two hours in advance of their speaking slot. The statements will be distributed electronically via the PaperSmart Portal at the time of delivery, and will be under embargo until then. Delegations are kindly requested to provide 15 hard copies of official statements for interpretation and other services. Please note that hard copies of statements will not be distributed by conference services during the session.

A printing-on-demand service will be made available to members of the Executive Board and observer delegations upon request, with a dedicated desk set up for this in the conference room. Delegations are encouraged to carry their laptops, tablets and/or other mobile devices to be able to access the official documents and statements from the Executive Board PaperSmart Portal.

Joint meeting

The joint meeting of the Executive Boards of UNDP/UNFPA/UNOPS, UNICEF, UN-Women and WFP will take place on Monday, 4 February 2013, in Conference Room 4 (NLB).

Forthcoming informal meetings on draft proposals convened by delegations

The agenda of the sixty-seventh session of the General Assembly is contained in documents A/67/251 and A/67/252. The meetings under this header are closed.

General Assembly

Informal consultations on draft resolution A/67/L.31, entitled "Graduation of countries from the least developed countries category" (under agenda item 9) (convened by the delegation of Mexico)

Wednesday, 19 December 2012, from 15:00 to 17:00, in Conference Room S-2728BR.

Informal consultations on the reform of the Economic and Social Council (under agenda items 14 and 113) (convened by the delegations of Belgium and Guyana (co-facilitators))

Wednesday, 19 December 2012, from 15:00 to 18:00, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB).

Informal consultations on draft resolution entitled "International cooperation on humanitarian assistance in the field of natural disasters, from relief to development" (under agenda item 70 (a)) (convened by the delegation of Algeria, on behalf of the Group of 77 and China)

Friday, 21 December 2012, from 10:00 to 13:00, in Conference Room A (NLB).

Forthcoming other meetings

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Western European and Other States Group (monthly meeting)

Wednesday, 19 December 2012, from 15:00 to 18:00, in Conference Room 6 (NLB).

Forthcoming other activities

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Presentation of the report entitled "The regions of Russia and the United Nations Millennium Development Goals" (organized by the Permanent Mission of the Russian Federation)

Wednesday, 19 December 2012, from 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room 6 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information please contact Mr. Denis Piminov, Permanent Mission of the Russian Federation (e-mail piminov33@gmail.com; tel. 1 (212) 861-4900).]

Announcements

Friends of the Division for Ocean Affairs and the Law of the Sea (DOALOS) for the commemoration of the thirtieth anniversary of the opening for signature of the 1982 United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea (UNCLOS)

The Division for Ocean Affairs and the Law of the Sea, Office of Legal Affairs, will hold a closed meeting to discuss matters related to the commemoration of the thirtieth anniversary of the opening for signature of UNCLOS, held on Monday, 10 December 2012. The meeting will take place *today*, 18 December 2012, at 17:00, in the DOALOS Conference Room (DC-2 Building, 4th Floor). All interested permanent missions to the United Nations are invited to attend.

Training for delegates and staff of permanent missions

The Dag Hammarskjöld Library will conduct the following training for delegates and staff of permanent missions in Room DC2-1142, in English, on the dates indicated below. All interested are kindly requested to register by e-mail (librarytraining@un.org) or by telephone (1 (212) 963-5321).

Overview of the Dag Hammarskjöld Library resources and databases (from 10:00 to 12:00)

Wednesday, 9 January 2013.

Overview of the Legal Library (from 16:00 to 17:00)

Tuesday, 15 January 2013.

Advanced research using subscription databases (from 10:00 to 12:00)

Wednesday, 23 January 2013.

Security Council documentation (new) (from 10:00 to 12:00)

Thursday, 24 January 2013.

Introduction to United Nations documents (from 10:00 to 12:00)

Friday, 25 January 2013.

Introduction to e-Books (from 10:00 to 12:00)

Thursday, 31 January 2013.

United Nations International Law Fellowship Programme, 2013

Applications for the 2013 United Nations International Law Fellowship Programme, scheduled to be held at the Peace Palace in The Hague, Netherlands, from Monday, 24 June, to Friday, 2 August 2013, are now being accepted. The deadline for applications is *Thursday, 31 January 2013*.

The Fellowship Programme will be conducted in English this year. For further information, including application forms, please consult the International Law Fellowship Programme Web site at www.un.org/law/ilfp; or contact the Codification Division (e-mail ilfp@un.org).

Summary of official meetings

Friday, 14 December 2012

General Assembly

Sixty-seventh session

Main Committees

Second Committee

38th meeting

Macroeconomic policy questions [item 18]

(b) International financial system and development

The Committee resumed its consideration of the sub-item.

Action on draft resolutions A/C.2/67/L.24, A/C.2/67/L.25 and A/C.2/67/L.62

The Committee agreed to the proposal of the Chair to waive rule 120 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly and proceeded to act on draft resolution A/C.2/67/L.62.

The Committee was informed that draft resolution A/C.2/67/L.62 contained no programme budget implications.

A statement was made by the Vice-Chair of the Committee (Italy), during the course of which he made an oral correction to draft resolution A/C.2/67/L.62.

The Committee then adopted draft resolution A/C.2/67/L.62, as orally corrected.

In light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/67/L.62, draft resolution A/C.2/67/L.24 was withdrawn by its sponsors.

The Chair of the Committee (Guyana) made a statement regarding draft resolution A/C.2/67/L.25, informing the Committee that elements of the draft resolution had been incorporated into draft resolution A/C.2/67/L.62.

In light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/67/L.62, draft resolution A/C.2/67/L.25 was also withdrawn by its sponsors.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of the sub-item and agenda item 18 as a whole.

Following a statement by the Chair, the meeting was suspended.

The meeting was resumed.

*Globalization and interdependence [item 22]**(b) International migration and development*

The Committee resumed its consideration of the sub-item.

Action on draft resolution A/C.2/67/L.15/Rev.1

The Secretary of the Committee read out a statement of programme budget implications in connection with the draft resolution.

A statement was made by the representative of Algeria, on behalf of the Group of 77 and China.

A statement was made by the facilitator of the draft resolution, Mr. Raymond Landveld (Suriname), during the course of which he made an oral correction to the draft resolution.

The Committee adopted the draft resolution, as orally corrected, by a recorded vote of 110 to 2, with 46 abstentions.

Before the vote, a general statement was made by the representative of Algeria, on behalf of the Group of 77 and China.

Statements in explanation of vote were made by the representatives of the United States, Cyprus (on behalf of the European Union) and China.

After the vote, statements in explanation of vote were made by the representatives of Mexico, Australia, New Zealand, the United Republic of Tanzania, Switzerland and Norway.

A general statement was made by the representative of Algeria, on behalf of the Group of 77 and China.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of the sub-item and agenda item 22 as a whole.

Operational activities for development [item 25]

(a) Quadrennial comprehensive policy review of operational activities for development of the United Nations system

The Committee resumed its consideration of the item.

Action on draft resolution A/C.2/67/L.14 and a draft resolution contained in an informal paper

On the proposal of the Chair, the Committee decided to take action on a draft resolution contained in an informal paper in English unedited version only.

The Secretary of the Committee read out a statement of programme budget implications in connection with the draft resolution contained in the informal paper.

Following a statement made by the facilitator, Mr. Pio Wennubst (Switzerland), the Committee adopted the draft resolution contained in the informal paper.

After the adoption of the draft resolution, statements were made by the Vice-Chair (United Republic of Tanzania) and by the representatives of Norway, Algeria (on behalf of the Group of 77 and China), the United States, the European Union, Japan and Australia (also on behalf of Canada and New Zealand).

In light of the adoption of the draft resolution contained in the informal paper, draft resolution A/C.2/67/L.14 was withdrawn by its sponsors.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of the sub-item and item 25 as a whole.

Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly [item 116]

The Committee began its consideration of the item.

Action on the draft programme of work of the Second Committee for the sixty-eighth session of the General Assembly contained in document A/C.2/67/L.65

The Committee adopted its draft programme of work for the sixty-eighth session of the General Assembly.

Working methods of the Second Committee

A statement was made by the Chair (Guyana).

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of the item.

Programme planning [item 131]

The Committee resumed its consideration of the item.

The Committee decided that no action was required under the item.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of the item.

Conclusion of the work of the Second Committee

A statement was made by the Chair (Guyana).

The Committee thus concluded its work for the main part of the sixty-seventh session of the General Assembly.

Monday, 17 December 2012

Security Council

6889th meeting

International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991

Report of the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia (S/2012/592)

Letter dated 16 November 2012 from the President of the International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991, addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2012/847)

Letter dated 16 November 2012 from the President of the International Residual Mechanism for Criminal Tribunals addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2012/849)

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The Council began its consideration of the item on its agenda.

The President drew attention to the text of a draft resolution contained in document S/2012/927, submitted by Guatemala.

The Council proceeded to vote on the draft resolution (S/2012/927) before it.

Decision: The draft resolution (S/2012/927) received 14 votes in favour, none against and one abstention (Russian Federation), and was adopted as resolution 2081 (2012).

After the vote, the Council heard statements by the representatives of the Russian Federation, the United Kingdom and the United States.

6890th meeting

Threats to international peace and security caused by terrorist acts

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The Council began its consideration of the item on its agenda.

The President drew attention to the text of a draft resolution contained in document S/2012/929, submitted by France, Portugal, Togo, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the United States of America, and the text of another draft resolution contained in document S/2012/928, submitted by France, Germany, Portugal, Togo, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the United States of America.

The Council proceeded to vote on the draft resolutions (S/2012/929 and S/2012/928) before it.

Decision: The draft resolutions (S/2012/929 and S/2012/928) received 15 votes in favour, none against and no abstentions, and were adopted unanimously as resolutions 2082 and 2083 (2012), respectively.

General Assembly

Sixty-seventh session

57th plenary meeting

Credentials of representatives to the sixty-seventh session of the General Assembly: Report of the Credentials Committee (A/67/611) [item 3 (b)]

The Chair of the Credentials Committee made a statement.

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Credential Committee in paragraph 16 of its report (A/67/611) (resolution 67/103).

The representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran made a statement in explanation of vote after adoption.

The General Assembly thus concluded this stage of its consideration of sub-item (b) of agenda item 3.

Strengthening of the United Nations system: report of the Secretary-General (A/67/312) [item 118 (a)]

The President made a statement.

Statements were made by the representatives of Tunisia (on behalf of the Non-Aligned Movement), Egypt, the European Union (also on behalf of the acceding country Croatia; the candidate countries The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Montenegro, Iceland and Serbia; and the countries of the Stabilization and Association Process and potential candidates Albania and Bosnia and Herzegovina, which aligned themselves with the statement), Thailand, Denmark, Indonesia, the United States, Japan, Mexico, Canada, India, Brazil, Malaysia, the Netherlands, the Republic of Korea, Croatia, Pakistan, Australia, the Russian Federation, Cuba, Switzerland and Norway.

The President made a statement.

The General Assembly thus concluded this stage of its consideration of agenda item 118 and its sub-item (a).

Culture of peace [item 15]

(a) *Report of the Secretary-General (A/67/283)*

(b) *Note by the Secretary-General (A/67/284)*

(c) *Draft resolutions (A/67/L.44, A/67/L.45 and A/67/L.46)*

The representative of the Philippines made a statement, in the course of which he introduced draft resolution A/67/L.44.

The representative of Pakistan made a statement.

The representative of Hungary made a statement, in the course of which he introduced draft resolution A/67/L.45.

The representative of Bangladesh made a statement, in the course of which he introduced draft resolution A/67/L.46.

Statements were made by the representatives of Cambodia (on behalf of the Association of Southeast Asian Nations) and Cyprus (on behalf of the European Union).

58th plenary meeting

Culture of peace [item 15]

(a) *Report of the Secretary-General (A/67/283)*

(b) *Note by the Secretary-General (A/67/284)*

(c) Draft resolutions (A/67/L.44, A/67/L.45 and A/67/L.46)

The General Assembly continued its consideration of agenda item 15.

Statements were made by the representatives of Thailand and Albania.

In accordance with General Assembly resolution 49/2 of 19 October 1994, the observer for the International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies made a statement.

The observer of the Observer State of the Holy See made a statement.

The General Assembly decided to waive the relevant provision of rule 78 of the rules of procedure in order to proceed immediately to the consideration of draft resolution A/67/L.45.

The representative of Saudi Arabia made a statement in explanation of vote before the vote.

The General Assembly adopted draft resolution A/67/L.44, as orally revised (resolution 67/104).

The General Assembly adopted draft resolution A/67/L.45 (resolution 67/105).

The General Assembly adopted draft resolution A/67/L.46 (resolution 67/106).

The representative of the United States made a statement in explanation of vote after adoption.

The General Assembly thus concluded this stage of its consideration of agenda item 15.

People's empowerment and a peace-centric development model: draft resolution (A/67/L.47) [item 29]

The representative of Bangladesh made a statement, in the course of which he introduced draft resolution A/67/L.47.

The General Assembly adopted draft resolution A/67/L.47 (resolution 67/107).

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 29.

Follow-up to the commemoration of the two-hundredth anniversary of the abolition of the transatlantic slave trade [item 114]

(a) Reports of the Secretary-General (A/67/161 and A/67/255)

(b) Note by the Secretary-General (A/67/L.41)

The representative of Belize made a statement, in the course of which she introduced draft resolution A/67/L.41.

Statements were made by the representatives of the Central African Republic (on behalf of the African States), Jamaica, the United States, Cuba, Israel, South Africa, India and Grenada (also on behalf of Trinidad and Tobago).

The General Assembly adopted draft resolution A/67/L.41 (resolution 67/108).

The General Assembly thus concluded this stage of its consideration of agenda item 114.

Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations: draft resolution (A/67/L.27) [item 121]

The General Assembly resumed its consideration of agenda item 121.

The representative of Azerbaijan made a statement, in the course of which he introduced draft resolution A/67/L.27.

The General Assembly adopted draft resolution A/67/L.27 (resolution 67/109).

The representative of Armenia made a statement in explanation of vote after adoption.

Statements in the exercise of the right of reply were made by the representatives of Azerbaijan and Armenia.

The General Assembly thus concluded this stage of its consideration of agenda item 121.

Cooperation between the United Nations and the Association of Southeast Asian Nations: draft resolution (A/67/L.40) [item 121 (c)]

The General Assembly resumed its consideration of sub-item (c) of agenda item 121.

The representative of Cambodia made a statement, in the course of which he introduced draft resolution A/67/L.40.

The General Assembly adopted draft resolution A/67/L.40 (resolution 67/110).

Statements in explanation of vote after adoption were made by the representatives of the United States and Canada.

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of sub-item (c) of agenda item 121.

Corrigendum to the summary of the 55th plenary meeting of the General Assembly (see Journal No. 2012/238, p. 17): The summary should read as follows:

Strengthening of the coordination of humanitarian and disaster relief assistance of the United Nations, including special economic assistance [item 70]

- (i) Report of the Secretary-General (A/67/492)*
- (ii) Draft resolutions (A/67/L.32 and A/67/L.37)*
- (a) Strengthening of the coordination of emergency humanitarian assistance of the United Nations*
 - (i) Reports of the Secretary-General (A/67/89, A/67/361, A/67/363 and A/67/367)*
 - (ii) Draft resolution (A/67/L.39)*
- (b) Assistance to the Palestinian people*
 - (i) Report of the Secretary-General (A/67/84)*
 - (ii) Draft resolution (A/67/L.38)*
- (c) Special economic assistance to individual countries or regions*

The General Assembly continued its consideration of agenda item 70 and its sub-items (a) to (c).

Statements were made by the representatives of Israel, Brazil, Indonesia, Japan, India (also on behalf of Sweden), Chile, Costa Rica, New Zealand and Grenada.

In accordance with General Assembly resolution 45/6 of 16 October 1990, the observer for the International Committee of the Red Cross made a statement.

In accordance with General Assembly resolution 49/2 of 19 October 1994, the observer for the International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies made a statement.

In accordance with General Assembly resolution 47/4 of 16 October 1992, the observer for the International Organization for Migration made a statement.

The General Assembly adopted draft resolution A/67/L.32 (resolution 67/84).

The General Assembly adopted draft resolution A/67/L.37 (resolution 67/85).

The General Assembly adopted draft resolution A/67/L.38 (resolution 67/86).

The General Assembly adopted draft resolution A/67/L.39 (resolution 67/87).

The General Assembly thus concluded this stage of its consideration of agenda item 70 and its sub-items (a) to (c).

Programme of work

The General Assembly was informed that the consideration of agenda item 33 (Prevention of armed conflict), agenda item 34 (Protracted conflicts in the GUAM area and their implications for international peace, security and development) and agenda item 120 (Multilingualism), originally scheduled for Monday, 17 December 2012, had been postponed to a later date to be announced.

Main Committees

Fifth Committee

20th meeting

Programme budget for the biennium 2012-2013 [item 130]

The Committee resumed its consideration of this agenda item.

First performance report

Revised estimates resulting from resolutions and decisions adopted by the Economic and Social Council at its organizational sessions and the substantive session of 2012

Statement submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly: Programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/67/L.45 (Committee against Torture)

The Assistant Secretary-General, Controller, introduced the reports of the Secretary-General (A/67/592, A/67/503/Add.1 and A/C.5/67/11).

The Vice-Chair of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions introduced the related reports of that Committee (A/67/639, A/67/577/Add.1 and A/67/637).

Statements were made by the representatives of Algeria (on behalf of the Group of 77 and China), the European Union (also on behalf of the acceding country Croatia; the candidate countries The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Montenegro, Iceland and Serbia; the countries of the Stabilization and Association Process and potential candidates Albania and Bosnia and Herzegovina; as well as Ukraine and Georgia, which aligned themselves with the statement), Switzerland (also on behalf of Liechtenstein), Japan, the United States and Cuba.

The Committee thus concluded its general discussion of this question.

The Chair informed the Committee that informal consultations on the question of first performance report would begin that day, Monday, 17 December, following the adjournment of the formal meeting, and would be coordinated by the Vice-Chair of the Committee, Ms. Anna Reich (Hungary).

The Chair further informed the Committee that informal consultations on the questions of revised estimates (Economic and Social Council and programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/67/L.45 (Committee against Torture)), would be coordinated by Mr. Conrod Hunte (Antigua and Barbuda).

Financing of the International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 January and 31 December 1994 [item 142]

Financing of the International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991 [item 143]

Financing of the International Residual Mechanism for Criminal Tribunals [item 144]

The Committee began its consideration of these agenda items.

The Assistant Secretary-General, Controller, introduced in the related reports of the Secretary-General (A/67/594, A/67/595 and A/67/596).

The Vice-Chair of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions introduced the related report of that Committee (A/67/646).

Statements were made by the representatives of Algeria (on behalf of the Group of 77 and China), Serbia and the Russian Federation.

The Committee thus concluded its general discussion of these agenda items.

The Chair informed the Committee that informal consultations on these agenda items would be coordinated by Mr. Patricio Troya (Ecuador).

Signatures, Ratifications, etc.

The dates indicated correspond to the dates of receipt of the relevant documents, except for the signatures.

[Multilateral Treaties Deposited with the Secretary-General]

Nagoya Protocol on Access to Genetic Resources and the Fair and Equitable Sharing of Benefits Arising from their Utilization to the Convention on Biological Diversity.
Nagoya, 29 October 2010

Accession: Mauritius (17 December 2012)

**Protocol to Eliminate Illicit Trade in Tobacco Products
(Seoul, 12 November 2012)****Opening for signature**

The Protocol to Eliminate Illicit Trade in Tobacco Products, which was adopted during the fifth session of the Conference of the Parties to the WHO Framework Convention on Tobacco Control, by decision FCTC/COP5 (1) of 12 November 2012, will be open for signature at a signing ceremony to be held in Geneva, Switzerland, on Thursday, 10, and Friday, 11 January 2013, and, thereafter, at United Nations Headquarters in New York.

In accordance with its article 43, the Protocol shall be open for signature by all parties to the WHO Framework Convention on Tobacco Control at World Health Organization Headquarters in Geneva on Thursday, 10, and Friday, 11 January 2013, and thereafter at United Nations Headquarters in New York until Wednesday, 9 January 2014.

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The Secretary-General would be obliged if parties to the WHO Framework Convention on Tobacco Control wishing to sign the Protocol could, as necessary, provide the required full powers in advance to the Treaty Section, Office of Legal Affairs, at United Nations Headquarters in New York (fax 1 (212) 963-3693).

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| | 1. Adoption of the agenda | |
| | 2. The situation in the Middle East, including the Palestinian question | |

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¹To be held following the adjournment of the 6892nd meeting.

²To be held following the adjournment of the 6893rd meeting.



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Morning ¹	Consultations of the whole (closed) Middle East Other matters	Consultations Room GA-TSC-02
15:00	6895th meeting  [webcast] 1. Adoption of the agenda 2. The situation in Afghanistan Report of the Secretary-General on the situation in Afghanistan and its implications for international peace and security (S/2012/907)	Security Council Chamber GA-TSC-01
Afternoon ²	Consultations of the whole (closed) Central African Republic Other matters	Consultations Room GA-TSC-02

¹To be held following the adjournment of the 6894th meeting.

²To be held following the adjournment of the 6895th meeting.

Security Council

The Security Council will hold an open debate on Thursday, 20 December 2012, in the Security Council Chamber GA-TSC-01, in connection with the agenda item "Post-conflict peacebuilding".

Member States wishing to inscribe their names on the list of speakers should contact the Secretariat (e-mail dpa-scsb3@un.org; fax 1 (917) 367-0406). Delegations are kindly requested to limit their statements to no more than *four minutes*. Delegations are reminded that the list of speakers will not be available by telephone, but only in hard copy in the Chamber, shortly before the beginning of the meeting.

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General Assembly

Sixty-seventh session

Main Committees**Fifth Committee**

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| 10:00 to 13:00 | <p>Informal consultations (closed)</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Conference Room 5 (NLB)</p> <p>Informal consultations on agenda item 130 (Programme budget for the biennium 2012-2013: Estimates in respect of special political missions, good offices and other political initiatives authorized by the General Assembly and/or the Security Council (A/67/346, A/67/346/Add.1, A/67/346/Add.2, A/67/346/Add.3, A/67/346/Add.4, A/67/346/Add.5, A/67/346/Add.6, A/67/346/Add.7, A/67/606, A/66/340, A/67/604, A/67/604/Add.1, A/67/604/Add.2, A/67/648 and A/66/7/Add.21))</p> |
| 15:00 to 15:15 | <p>Informal consultations (closed)</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Conference Room 5 (NLB)</p> <p>Informal consultations on agenda item 133 (Pattern of conferences (A/67/32, A/67/127, A/67/127/Corr.1 and A/67/523))</p> |
| 15:15 to 16:00 | <p>Informal consultations (closed)</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Conference Room 5 (NLB)</p> <p>Informal consultations on agenda item 129 (Review of the efficiency of the administrative and financial functioning of the United Nations: Budget outline for the biennium 2014-2015 (A/67/529, A/67/529/Corr.1 and A/67/625))</p> |
| 16:00 to 18:00 | <p>Informal consultations (closed)</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Conference Room 5 (NLB)</p> <p>Informal consultations on agenda item 130 (Programme budget for the biennium 2012-2013: Programme budget implications:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Situation of human rights in Myanmar: Programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/67/L.49/Rev.1 (A/C.5/67/14 and A/67/621); Committee against Torture: Programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/67/L.45 (A/C.5/67/11 and A/67/637); The arms trade treaty: Programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.1/67/L.11 (A/C.5/67/13 and A/67/649); Revised estimates resulting from the decisions contained in the outcome document of the United Nations Conference on Sustainable Development (A/67/591 and A/67/641); Revised estimates resulting from resolutions and decisions adopted by the Human Rights Council at its nineteenth, twentieth and twenty-first sessions (A/67/607 and A/67/647); and Revised estimates resulting from resolutions and decisions adopted by the Economic and Social Council (A/67/503, A/67/503/Add.1, A/67/577 and A/67/577/Add.1)) |

Security Council**Working Group on Children and Armed Conflict**

10:00 to 13:00

35th meeting (closed)

Conference Room 7 (NLB)

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1540 (2004)

15:30 to 18:00

52nd meeting (closed)

Conference Room 7 (NLB)

General Assembly**United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea****Meeting of States Parties****Special Meeting**

10:00

1st meeting  [webcast]

Conference Room 2 (NLB)

1. Opening of the Special Meeting by the President of the twenty-second Meeting [item 1]
2. Minute of silent prayer or meditation [item 2]
3. Adoption of the agenda (SPLOS/L.71) [item 3]
4. Organization of work [item 4]

Credentials CommitteeMorning¹

Closed meeting

Conference Room A (NLB)

PlenaryMorning² to 13:001st meeting (resumed)  [webcast]

Conference Room 2 (NLB)

1. Report of the Credentials Committee [item 5]
2. Election of one member of the Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf (SPLOS/252) [item 6]

¹To be held following the suspension of the 1st meeting.²To be held following the adjournment of the meeting of the Credentials Committee.**General Assembly
Security Council****Peacebuilding Commission**

Sixth session

Organizational Committee

An informal meeting (closed) of the Organizational Committee of the Peacebuilding Commission will be held *today*, 19 December 2012, from 10:00 to 13:00, in Conference Room 4 (NLB).

Informal meetings on draft proposals convened by delegations

The agenda of the sixty-seventh session of the General Assembly is contained in documents A/67/251 and A/67/252. The meetings under this header are closed.

Wednesday, 19 December 2012

General Assembly

Informal consultations on draft resolution entitled "International cooperation on humanitarian assistance in the field of natural disasters, from relief to development" (under agenda item 70 (a)) (convened by the delegation of Algeria, on behalf of the Group of 77 and China)

From 10:00 to 13:00, in Conference Room C (NLB).

Informal consultations on draft resolution A/67/L.31, entitled "Graduation of countries from the least developed countries category" (under agenda item 9) (convened by the delegation of Mexico)

From 15:00 to 17:00, in Conference Room S-2728BR.

Informal consultations on the draft resolution on the organization of the special session on the follow-up to the Programme of Action of the International Conference on Population and Development beyond 2014 to be held during the sixty-ninth session of the General Assembly (under agenda item 14) (convened by the delegation of Kenya)

From 15:00 to 18:00, in Conference Room C (NLB).

Informal consultations on the reform of the Economic and Social Council (under agenda items 14 and 113) (convened by the delegations of Belgium and Guyana (co-facilitators))

From 15:00 to 18:00, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB).

Other meetings

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Wednesday, 19 December 2012

Western European and Other States Group (monthly meeting)

15:00 to 18:00

Closed meeting

Conference Room 6 (NLB)

Other activities

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Wednesday, 19 December 2012

Briefing on "The humanitarian situation in Afghanistan and Eritrea" (by the Director of the Coordination and Response Division, OCHA, following his recent visit to both countries) (organized by the Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs (OCHA))

At 13:15, in Conference Room 7 (NLB).

[The briefing is open to all permanent missions and permanent observer missions. For further information, please contact Ms. Laura Rodríguez, OCHA (e-mail rodriguez14@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-2770).]

Presentation of the report entitled "The regions of Russia and the United Nations Millennium Development Goals" (organized by the Permanent Mission of the Russian Federation)

From 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room 6 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information please contact Mr. Denis Piminov, Permanent Mission of the Russian Federation (e-mail piminov33@gmail.com; tel. 1 (212) 861-4900).]

Press conferences

The schedule is tentative; up-to-date information can be obtained at www.un.org/sg/spokesperson/confschedule.asp.

Wednesday, 19 December 2012

Dag Hammarskjöld Library Auditorium  [webcast]

- 11:00 His Excellency Ban Ki-moon, Secretary-General (year-end press conference)
- 12:30 Mr. Lev Kuznetsov, Governor of the Krasnoyarsk Territory, Russian Federation; Mr. Oleg Betin, Governor of the Tambov Region, Russian Federation; Mr. Alexey Borisov, First Deputy Chair of the United Nations Association, Russian Federation (on the report entitled "The regions of Russia and the United Nations Millennium Development Goals")
[Moderator: Mr. Anton Uspensky, Spokesperson for the Permanent Mission of the Russian Federation] [sponsored by the Permanent Mission of the Russian Federation]

Security Council stakeout  [webcast]

- Afternoon¹ Mr. Ján Kubiš, Special Representative of the Secretary-General for Afghanistan and Head of the United Nations Assistance Mission in Afghanistan (UNAMA)

¹To be held following the adjournment of the meeting of the Security Council on Afghanistan.

Forthcoming official meetings

Thursday, 20 December 2012

General Assembly

Sixty-seventh session

10:00

60th plenary meeting

General Assembly Hall

1. Social development: report of the Third Committee (A/67/449) [item 27]
2. Advancement of women: report of the Third Committee (A/67/450) [item 28]
3. Report of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees, questions relating to refugees, returnees and displaced persons and humanitarian questions: report of the Third Committee (A/67/451) [item 62]
4. Report of the Human Rights Council: report of the Third Committee (A/67/452) [item 64]
5. Promotion and protection of the rights of children: report of the Third Committee (A/67/453) [item 65]
6. Rights of indigenous peoples: report of the Third Committee (A/67/454) [item 66]
7. Elimination of racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and related intolerance: report of the Third Committee (A/67/455) [item 67]
8. Right of peoples to self-determination: report of the Third Committee (A/67/456) [item 68]
9. Implementation of human rights instruments: report of the Third Committee (A/67/457/Add.1) [item 69 (a)]
10. Human rights questions, including alternative approaches for improving the effective enjoyment of human rights and fundamental freedoms: report of the Third Committee (A/67/457/Add.2) [item 69 (b)]
11. Human rights situations and reports of special rapporteurs and representatives: report of the Third Committee (A/67/457/Add.3) [item 69 (c)]
12. Comprehensive implementation of and follow-up to the Vienna Declaration and Programme of Action: report of the Third Committee (A/67/457/Add.4) [item 69 (d)]
13. Promotion and protection of human rights: report of the Third Committee (A/67/457) [item 69]
14. Crime prevention and criminal justice: report of the Third Committee (A/67/458) [item 103]
15. International drug control: report of the Third Committee (A/67/459) [item 104]
16. Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly: report of the Third Committee (A/67/460) [item 116]
17. Programme planning: report of the Third Committee (A/67/461) [item 131]

General Assembly

Sixty-seventh session

Announcements

The agenda of the sixty-seventh regular session of the General Assembly is contained in document A/67/251 (see document A/67/252 for the allocation of items). Annotations can be found in document A/67/100 and A/67/100/Add.1. The programme of work and schedule of plenary meetings of the General Assembly during the main part of its sixty-seventh session are contained in document A/INF/67/4/Rev.1. Inscription on the list of speakers, on a first-come, first-served basis, for the items listed in this document is now open. For inscription, please call 1 (212) 963-5063 (rooms S-3055 and S-3082). For the submission of a draft resolution for the plenary, please call 1 (212) 963-3818 (room S-3053). Please [click here](#) for the guidelines for submission of draft resolutions in the General Assembly.

Since the issuance of the programme of work and schedule of plenary meetings of the General Assembly (A/INF/67/4/Rev.1), the following changes have been made:

- (a) The date of recess of the main part of the session, originally scheduled for Monday, 17 December, *has been postponed* to Friday, 21 December;
- (b) Consideration of agenda item 16 (The role of the United Nations in promoting a new global human order), originally scheduled for Tuesday, 11 December, *has been postponed* to a later date to be announced;
- (c) Consideration of agenda item 111 (f) (Appointment of members of the Committee on Conferences), originally scheduled for Monday, 12 November, *has been postponed* to a later date to be announced; and
- (d) Consideration of agenda item 33 (Prevention of armed conflict), item 34 (Protracted conflicts in the GUAM area and their implications for international peace, security and development), item 35 (Zone of peace and cooperation of the South Atlantic), item 39 (The situation in the occupied territories of Azerbaijan), sub-item (c) of item 110 (Election of five members of the Organizational Committee of the Peacebuilding Commission) and item 120 (Multilingualism), originally scheduled for Monday, 17 December, *have been postponed* to a later date to be announced.

The dates for the consideration of reports of the other Main Committees will be announced in the *Journal*, as soon as they are decided.

Main Committees

Fifth Committee

The Fifth Committee will hold informal consultations (closed) on Thursday, 20 December 2012, at 10:00 and 15:00, in Conference Room 5 (NLB).

Economic and Social Council

Resumed substantive session for 2012

The Economic and Social Council will hold a meeting of its resumed substantive session on Thursday, 20 December 2012, at 15:00, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB), to take action on a draft resolution on the membership of the Council

to the Organizational Committee of the Peacebuilding Commission (E/2012/L.39)¹, and to elect the seven members of the Council to the Organizational Committee of the Peacebuilding Commission. The Council will also hold elections to fill outstanding vacancies in the following subsidiary bodies: Commission for Social Development; Commission on Science and Technology for Development; the Executive Board of the World Food Programme; Committee for the United Nations Population Award; and Governing Council of the United Nations Human Settlements Programme. The list of candidates for the elections is available on Candiweb, at the following address: www.un.int/wcm/content/site/portal/home/pid/11312. The Council will also consider the report of the Tenth United Nations Conference on the Standardization of Geographical Names (E/CONF.101/144).

Organizational session for 2013

The Economic and Social Council will hold a meeting on Friday, 25 January 2013, at 10:00, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB), to elect the President and other members of its Bureau for 2013. The provisional annotated agenda for the organizational session will be issued in document E/2013/2.

¹To be issued.

Commission for Social Development

Fifty-first session

The Commission for Social Development will hold its 2nd meeting on Thursday, 20 December 2012, in the afternoon, immediately following the adjournment of the meeting of the resumed substantive session of the Economic and Social Council, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB), to hold the elections of its Chair and two remaining Vice-Chairs.

**Executive Board of the United Nations Development Programme,
of the United Nations Population Fund and of the United Nations
Office for Project Services**

Executive Board of the United Nations Children's Fund

**Executive Board of the United Nations Entity for Gender Equality
and the Empowerment of Women**

There will be a joint informal consultation of the Executive Boards of UNDP/UNFPA/UNOPS, UNICEF and UN-Women on the integrated budget and cost-recovery road map on Thursday, 20 December 2012, from 15:30 to 17:00, in Conference Room 1 (NLB). Interested delegations are invited to attend.

**Executive Board of the United Nations Development Programme,
of the United Nations Population Fund and of the United Nations
Office for Project Services**

In accordance with Executive Board decision 2006/14 and rule 7 of the rules of procedure, the Executive Board will hold a formal meeting for the purpose of electing a new President and other members of the Bureau, on Monday, 7 January 2013, from 11:30 to 12:30, in Conference Room 5 (NLB).

Pre-session informal consultation

A pre-session informal consultation of the Executive Board will take place on Monday, 14 January 2013, from 10:30 to 11:30, followed by an informal consultation on draft decisions, from 11:30 to 13:00, in Conference Room 5 (NLB).

First regular session 2013

The first regular session 2013 of the Executive Board of UNDP, UNFPA and UNOPS will be held from Monday, 28 January, to Friday, 1 February 2013, in Conference Room 2 (NLB). The provisional agenda, list of documents and workplan for the session are contained in document DP/2013/L.1.

Member States, as well as observers and other organizations attending the session, are requested to e-mail their credentials to the secretariat of the Executive Board (e-mail marcela.romero@undp.org; fax 1 (212) 906-5634), as early as possible, *but no later than Monday, 21 January 2013*.

The upcoming first regular session 2013 will be the first PaperSmart session of the Executive Board. Instead of distributing hard copies, all official documentation will be available on the Executive Board PaperSmart Portal. Delegations are invited to send electronic copies of their statements by e-mail to the PaperSmart Secretariat (e-mail papersmart@un.org), at least two hours in advance of their speaking slot. The statements will be distributed electronically via the PaperSmart Portal at the time of delivery, and will be under embargo until then. Delegations are kindly requested to provide 15 hard copies of official statements for interpretation and other services. Please note that hard copies of statements will not be distributed by conference services during the session.

A printing-on-demand service will be made available to members of the Executive Board and observer delegations upon request, with a dedicated desk set up for this in the conference room. Delegations are encouraged to carry their laptops, tablets and/or other mobile devices to be able to access the official documents and statements from the Executive Board PaperSmart Portal.

Joint meeting

The joint meeting of the Executive Boards of UNDP/UNFPA/UNOPS, UNICEF, UN-Women and WFP will take place on Monday, 4 February 2013, in Conference Room 4 (NLB).

Forthcoming informal meetings on draft proposals convened by delegations

The agenda of the sixty-seventh session of the General Assembly is contained in documents A/67/251 and A/67/252. The meetings under this header are closed.

General Assembly

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Cooperation between the United Nations and the Organization of Islamic Cooperation" (under agenda item 121 (r)) (convened by the delegation of the Organization of Islamic Cooperation)

Thursday, 20 December 2012, from 10:00 to 13:00, in Conference Room 1 (NLB).

Informal consultations on draft resolution entitled "International cooperation on humanitarian assistance in the field of natural disasters, from relief to development" (under agenda item 70 (a)) (convened by the delegation of Algeria, on behalf of the Group of 77 and China)

Friday, 21 December 2012, from 10:00 to 13:00, in Conference Room A (NLB).

Forthcoming other meetings

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Non-Aligned Movement (at the expert level) (on issues related to the Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations (C-34))

Thursday, 20 December 2012, from 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room 7 (NLB).

Announcements

Training for delegates and staff of permanent missions

The Dag Hammarskjöld Library will conduct the following training for delegates and staff of permanent missions in Room DC2-1142, in English, on the dates indicated below. All interested are kindly requested to register by e-mail (librarytraining@un.org) or by telephone (1 (212) 963-5321).

Overview of the Dag Hammarskjöld Library resources and databases (from 10:00 to 12:00)

Wednesday, 9 January 2013.

Overview of the Legal Library (from 16:00 to 17:00)

Tuesday, 15 January 2013.

Advanced research using subscription databases (from 10:00 to 12:00)

Wednesday, 23 January 2013.

Security Council documentation (new) (from 10:00 to 12:00)

Thursday, 24 January 2013.

Introduction to United Nations documents (from 10:00 to 12:00)

Friday, 25 January 2013.

Introduction to e-Books (from 10:00 to 12:00)

Thursday, 31 January 2013.

United Nations International Law Fellowship Programme, 2013

Applications for the 2013 United Nations International Law Fellowship Programme, scheduled to be held at the Peace Palace in The Hague, Netherlands, from Monday, 24 June, to Friday, 2 August 2013, are now being accepted. The deadline for applications is *Thursday, 31 January 2013*.

The Fellowship Programme will be conducted in English this year. For further information, including application forms, please consult the International Law Fellowship Programme Web site at www.un.org/law/ilfp; or contact the Codification Division (e-mail ilfp@un.org).

Summary of official meetings

Tuesday, 18 December 2012

Security Council

6891st meeting

Central African region

Report of the Secretary-General on the activities of the United Nations Regional Office for Central Africa and on the Lord's Resistance Army-affected areas (S/2012/923)

The agenda was adopted without objection.

In accordance with the understanding reached in the Council's prior consultations, the President, with the consent of the Council, extended an invitation under rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure to Mr. Abou Moussa, Special Representative of the Secretary-General and Head of the United Nations Regional Office for Central Africa.

The Council began its consideration of the item and heard a briefing by Mr. Abou Moussa.

Statements were made by the representatives of the United Kingdom, China, India, the United States, South Africa, Portugal, Azerbaijan, Guatemala, France, Colombia, Togo, Germany, the Russian Federation and Pakistan, and by the President, speaking in his capacity as the representative of Morocco.

Mr. Moussa responded to comments made by Council members.

General Assembly

Sixty-seventh session

59th plenary meeting

Reports of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee)

The Rapporteur of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) introduced the reports of the Committee on agenda items 49 to 60, 116 and 131.

Under rule 66 of the rules of procedure, the General Assembly decided not to discuss the reports of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) which were before the Assembly.

University for Peace: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/67/420) [item 49]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 8 of its report (A/67/420) (resolution 67/111).

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 49.

Effects of atomic radiation: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/67/421) [item 50]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 8 of its report A/67/421 (resolution 67/112).

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 50.

International cooperation in the peaceful uses of outer space: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/67/422) [item 51]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 15 of its report A/67/422 (resolution 67/113).

The General Assembly adopted the draft decision recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 16 of its report A/67/422.

The representative of Azerbaijan made a statement in explanation of vote after adoption.

Statements in the exercise of the right of reply were made by the representatives of Armenia and Azerbaijan.

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 51.

United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/67/423) [item 52]

The General Assembly proceeded to take action on draft resolutions I to IV recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 16 of its report (A/67/423), as follows:

	<i>Yes</i>	<i>No</i>	<i>Abstentions</i>
Draft resolution I (recorded vote) (resolution 67/114)	170	1	8
Draft resolution II (recorded vote) (resolution 67/115)	170	6	4
Draft resolution III (recorded vote) (resolution 67/116)	172	6	1
Draft resolution IV (recorded vote) (resolution 67/117)	173	6	3

The representative of the United States made a statement in explanation of vote after the vote.

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 52.

Report of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices Affecting the Human Rights of the Palestinian People and Other Arabs of the Occupied Territories: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/67/424) [item 53]

The General Assembly proceeded to take action on draft resolutions I to V recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 18 of its report (A/67/424), as follows:

	<i>Yes</i>	<i>No</i>	<i>Abstentions</i>
Draft resolution I (recorded vote) (resolution 67/118)	98	8	72
Draft resolution II (recorded vote) (resolution 67/119)	171	6	3
Draft resolution III (recorded vote) (resolution 67/120)	169	6	5
Draft resolution IV (recorded vote) (resolution 67/121)	164	8	6
Draft resolution V (recorded vote) (resolution 67/122)	168	1	11

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 53.

Comprehensive review of the whole question of peacekeeping operations in all their aspects: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/67/425) [item 54]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 9 of its report (A/67/425) (resolution 67/123).

The General Assembly thus concluded this stage of its consideration of agenda item 54.

Questions relating to information: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/67/426) [item 55]

The General Assembly adopted draft resolution A recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 12 of its report (A/67/426) (resolution 67/124 A).

The General Assembly adopted draft resolution B recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 12 of its report (A/67/426) (resolution 67/124 B).

The General Assembly adopted the draft decision recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 13 of its report (A/67/426).

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 55.

Information from Non-Self-Governing Territories transmitted under Article 73 e of the Charter of the United Nations: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/67/427) [item 56]

By 175 votes to none, with 4 abstentions (recorded vote), the General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 7 of its report (A/67/427) (resolution 67/125).

The General Assembly thus concluded this stage of its consideration of agenda item 56.

Economic and other activities which affect the interests of the peoples of the Non-Self-Governing Territories: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/67/428) [item 57]

By 178 votes to 2, with 2 abstentions (recorded vote), the General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 7 of its report (A/67/428) (resolution 67/126).

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 57.

Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples by the specialized agencies and the international institutions associated with the United Nations: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/67/429) [item 58]

By 127 votes to none, with 54 abstentions (recorded vote), the General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 7 of its report (A/67/429) (resolution 67/127).

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 58.

Offers by Member States of study and training facilities for inhabitants of Non-Self-Governing Territories: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/67/430) [item 59]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 7 of its report (A/67/430) (resolution 67/128).

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 59.

Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/67/431) [item 60]

The General Assembly proceeded to take action on draft resolutions I to VI recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 25 of its report (A/67/431), as follows:

	Yes	No	Abstentions
Draft resolution I (resolution 67/129)		Adopted	
Draft resolution II (resolution 67/130)		Adopted	
Draft resolution III (resolution 67/131)		Adopted	
Draft resolution IV, as orally revised (resolution 67/132)		Adopted	
Draft resolution V (recorded vote) (resolution 67/133)	174	3	1
Draft resolution VI (recorded vote) (resolution 67/134)	175	3	2

The General Assembly adopted the draft decision recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 26 of its report (A/67/431).

The General Assembly thus concluded this stage of its consideration of agenda item 60.

Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/67/432) [item 116]

The General Assembly adopted the draft decision recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 5 of its report (A/67/432).

The General Assembly thus concluded this stage of its consideration of agenda item 116.

Programme planning: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/67/433) [item 131]

The General Assembly took note of the report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/67/433).

The General Assembly thus concluded this stage of its consideration of agenda item 131.

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of all the reports of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) before it.

The role of diamonds in fuelling conflict [item 32]

(a) *Letter from the United States transmitting the report of the Kimberley Process to the General Assembly, pursuant to General Assembly resolution 66/252 (A/67/640)*

(b) *Draft resolution (A/67/L.42)*

The representative of the United States made a statement, in the course of which she introduced draft resolution A/67/L.42.

Statements were made by the representatives of the European Union (also on behalf of the acceding country Croatia; the candidate country Iceland; and the country of the Stabilization and Association Process and potential candidate Bosnia and Herzegovina, which aligned themselves with the statement), Israel, the Russian Federation, South Africa and Panama.

The General Assembly decided to waive the relevant provision of rule 78 of the rules of procedure in order to proceed immediately to the consideration of draft resolution A/67/L.42.

The General Assembly adopted draft resolution A/67/L.42 (resolution 67/135).

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 32.

Report of the Economic and Social Council: draft resolution (A/67/L.43) [item 9]

The representative of Kenya made a statement, in the course of which he introduced draft resolution A/67/L.43.

The General Assembly adopted draft resolution A/67/L.43 (resolution 67/136).

The General Assembly thus concluded this stage of its consideration of agenda item 9.

Cooperation between the United Nations and the International Organization of la Francophonie: draft resolution (A/67/L.30/Rev.2) [item 121 (I)]

The General Assembly resumed its consideration of sub-item (I) of agenda item 121.

The representative of Gabon made a statement, in the course of which he introduced draft resolution A/67/L.30/Rev.2.

The General Assembly adopted draft resolution A/67/L.30/Rev.2 (resolution 67/137).

In accordance with General Assembly resolution 33/18 of 10 November 1978 and decision 53/453 of 18 December 1998, the observer for the International Organization of la Francophonie made a statement.

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of sub-item (I) of agenda item 121.

Main Committees**Fifth Committee**

21st meeting

Programme budget for the biennium 2012-2013 [item 130]

The Committee resumed its consideration of this agenda item.

Revised estimates resulting from the decisions contained in the outcome document of the United Nations Conference on Sustainable Development

Revised estimates resulting from resolutions and decisions adopted by the Human Rights Council at its nineteenth, twentieth and twenty-first sessions

Request for a subvention to the Special Court for Sierra Leone

The arms trade treaty: Programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.1/67/L.11

Contingency fund: Consolidated statement of programme budget implications and revised estimates

The Director of the Programme Planning and Budget Division introduced, in one statement, the related reports of the Secretary-General (A/67/591, A/67/607, A/67/606, A/C.5/67/13 and A/C.5/67/15).

The Chair of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions introduced the related reports of that Committee (A/67/641, A/67/647, A/67/648, A/67/649 and A/67/650).

Statements were made by the representatives of Algeria (on behalf of the Group of 77 and China) and Côte d'Ivoire (on behalf of the African Group).

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 130.

The Chair informed the Committee that informal consultations on the question of a subvention to the Special Court for Sierra Leone would begin that day, Tuesday, 18 December 2012, following the adjournment of the formal meeting, and would be coordinated Mr. Jan de Preter (Belgium).

The Chair further informed the Committee that informal consultations on revised estimates resulting from the decisions contained in the outcome document of the United Nations Conference on Sustainable Development; revised estimates resulting from resolutions and decisions adopted by the Human Rights Council at its nineteenth, twentieth and twenty-first sessions; and programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.1/67/L.11 (The arms trade treaty), would be coordinated by Mr. Conrod Hunte (Antigua and Barbuda).

Financing of the United Nations Integrated Mission in Timor-Leste [item 153]

The Committee began its consideration of this agenda item.

The Director of the Peacekeeping Financing Division introduced the note by the Secretary-General on financing arrangements for the United Nations Integrated Mission in Timor-Leste for the period from 1 July 2012 to 30 June 2013 (A/67/618).

The Chair of the Advisory Committee of Administrative and Budgetary Questions introduced the related report of that Committee (A/67/638).

Statements were made by the representatives of Côte d'Ivoire (on behalf of the African Group) and the European Union (on behalf of the Member States of the European Union).

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of this agenda item.

General Assembly

Convention on the Rights of the Child

Meeting of States Parties

Fourteenth meeting

1st meeting

Opening of the Meeting by the Assistant Secretary-General for Human Rights [item 1]

The Meeting was opened by the Assistant Secretary-General for Human Rights, Mr. Ivan Šimonović, representing the Secretary-General, who made a statement.

Election of the Chair [item 2]

The Permanent Representative of Costa Rica made a statement.

His Excellency Jim McLay (New Zealand), was elected as Chair of the Meeting, by acclamation.

Adoption of the agenda [item 3]

The Meeting adopted the provisional agenda submitted by the Secretary-General (CRC/SP/43) as its agenda.

Election of other officers of the Meeting [item 4]

The Meeting, unanimously, elected Her Excellency Janine Coye-Felson (Belize), Mr. Stelios Makriyiannis (Cyprus) and Mr. Matej Marn (Slovenia) as Vice-Chairs.

Election of nine members of the Committee on the Rights of the Child in accordance with article 43 of the Convention on the Rights of the Child as amended (see General Assembly resolution 50/155) [item 5]

The following nine candidates obtained the required majority in the first ballot and were elected as members of the Committee on the Rights of the Child to serve from 1 March 2013 to 28 February 2017: Ms. Amal Aldoseri (Bahrain), Ms. Sara de Jesús Oviedo Fierro (Ecuador), Mr. Peter Guran (Slovakia), Ms. Olga A. Khazova (Russian Federation), Mr. Benyam Dawit Mezmur (Ethiopia), Ms. Yasmeen Muhamad Shariff (Malaysia), Mr. Wanderlino Nogueira Neto (Brazil), Ms. Maria Rita Parsi (Italy) and Ms. Renate Winter (Austria).

Other matters [item 6]

The representative of Costa Rica made a statement, on behalf of his country and Slovenia, as main sponsors of the resolution on the Committee on the Rights of the Child. The representative of Liechtenstein made a statement.

The fourteenth Meeting of the States Parties was then declared closed.

Signatures, Ratifications, etc.

The dates indicated correspond to the dates of receipt of the relevant documents, except for the signatures.

[Multilateral Treaties Deposited with the Secretary-General]

Convention on the Reduction of Statelessness. New York, 30 August 1961

Accession: Honduras (18 December 2012)

Constitution of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization. Vienna, 8 April 1979

Denunciation: New Zealand (13 December 2012)

International Cocoa Agreement, 2010. Geneva, 25 June 2010

Ratification: Ghana (18 December 2012)

Protocol to Eliminate Illicit Trade in Tobacco Products (Seoul, 12 November 2012)

Opening for signature

The Protocol to Eliminate Illicit Trade in Tobacco Products, which was adopted during the fifth session of the Conference of the Parties to the WHO Framework Convention on Tobacco Control, by decision FCTC/COP5 (1) of 12 November 2012, will be open for signature at a signing ceremony to be held in Geneva, Switzerland, on Thursday, 10, and Friday, 11 January 2013, and, thereafter, at United Nations Headquarters in New York.

In accordance with its article 43, the Protocol shall be open for signature by all parties to the WHO Framework Convention on Tobacco Control at World Health Organization Headquarters in Geneva on Thursday, 10, and Friday, 11 January 2013, and thereafter at United Nations Headquarters in New York until Wednesday, 9 January 2014.

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